GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Home – Cinematography – Approved films supplied by the Andhra Pradesh State Film, TV & Theatre Development Corporation Limited on behalf of the Government – Compulsory screening by the Cinema Theatres in the State - Constitution of Monitoring Committee for screening of approved films – Certain instructions related to service providers and exhibitors – Orders - Issued.

HOME (GENERAL.A) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 162 Dated: 04-12-2019
Read the following:-

1. G.O.Ms. No.202, Home (General A) Department, Dated: 29.9.2005.
2. G.O.Ms. No.282, Home (General A) Department, Dated: 13.12.2013.
3. G.O.Ms. No.10, Home (General A) Department, Dated: 10.01.2019.
4. From the Managing Director, Andhra Pradesh State Film Television and Theatre Development Corporation Limited, Vijayawada, Lr.No.FDC/Films /2019, Dated: 15.10.2019.

O R D E R:

In the reference first read above, Government have issued orders authorizing the Andhra Pradesh State Film Television and Theatre Development Corporation Limited, Hyderabad to supply "Approved Films" to Cinema theatres in the State and to issue "No Objection Certificate" for obtaining and renewal of license.

2. In the reference second read above, Government have directed the service providers to make arrangements for uploading/transposing the approved films along with the feature films and commercials with a view to adhere to the conditions prescribed under Section–42 of Andhra Pradesh Cinema (Regulations) Rules, 1970. The service providers shall also obtain license from the Government and the exhibitor should avail only such approved service providers who are issued licenses by the Government.

3. In the reference third read above, Government issued instructions to all the Licensing Authorities / Commissioners of Police in the State to insist on compulsory screening of Approved Films supplied by the Government through Andhra Pradesh State Film Television and Theatre Development Corporation Limited for three (3) minutes along with Public Service Awareness films supplied by Films Division on behalf of the Government of India. The Digital Service providers also must screen the approved films supplied by the Corporation.

4. In the reference fourth read above, the Managing Director, A.P. State Film Television and Theatre Development Corporation Limited, Vijayawada has requested the Government to issue necessary instructions to digital service providers to obtain license from the Government/ Andhra Pradesh State Film Telivision & Theatre Development Corporation Limited and the exhibitor should avail only such approved service providers who are issued licenses by the Government/ Andhra Pradesh State Film Telivision & Theatre Development Corporation Limited and further requested to constitute a Committee for monitoring the screening of the approved films supplied by the APSFTVTDC.

5. Government, after careful examination of the matter, hereby constitute a Monitoring Committee for Screening of Approved films supplied by APSFTVTDC with the following members:

Licensing Authority (Joint Collectors/Commissioners of Police)	Chairman
Rep. of Telugu Film chamber of Commerce	Member
Rep. of Service Provider	Member
APSFTVTDC Official	Member
District Public Relations Officer, I&PR Dept.	Member
Revenue Divisional Officers	Member – Convener

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SCOPE OF THE COMMITTEE:-

i. The Committee will meet quarterly and review the report of the concerned RDOs and prescribe action to be taken to ensure compulsory screening of the films supplied by APSFTVTDC and action to be taken against the theaters who failed to screen such films or Service Providers if they fail to upload such films.

ii. APSFTVTDC will furnish the information about the supply of the films and period of screening etc.

iii. Service providers shall furnish the information about screening of the films along with log sheet, supplied by the APSFTVTDC with compliance theatre wise.

iv. Telugu Film Chambers of Commerce shall provide particulars of screening of the films theatre wise.

v. The concerned Revenue Divisional Officer shall convene the meeting of the committee quarterly and submit the report to the Government.

6. Government, hereby instruct all the Digital Service Providers to obtain license from the Government/A.P. State Film Television and Theatre Corporation, Vijayawada and the Exhibitor should avail the services of only such approved service providers who are issued licenses by the Government/APSFT&TDCL.

7. All the Licensing authorities in the State shall take further necessary action in the matter accordingly and institute regulatory mechanism to monitor the actual screening duration of the films supplied by the Andhra Pradesh State Film Television and Theatre Development Corporation.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

K.R.M. KISHORE KUMAR
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
All the District Collectors and Licensing authorities in the State.
All the Commissioners of Police in the State.
The Managing Director, Andhra Pradesh State Film Telivision & Theatre Development Corporation Limited.
All the Digital Service Providers through A.P.S.F.T.V.T.D.C.L, Vijayawada.
Telugu Film Chamber of Commerce, Vijayawada with a request to communicate all the Exhibitors in the State.

Copy to:-

The General Administration(I&PR) Department.
The Commissioner, I & PR Department, Vijayawada.
SF/SCs.

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SECTION OFFICER